## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Kristopher BUCHANAN et al.	) Group Art Unit: 1797
Application No.: 10/539,562	) Examiner: Bowers, N.
Filed: June 17, 2005	) Confirmation No.: 2677
For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS OF SAMPLE PROCESSING AND TEMPERATURE CONTROL	) ) )
Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Nevandria VA 22313-1450	

Sir.

## **PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants petition for a two-month extension of time to file a reply to the Office Action mailed January 15, 2010. A fee of \$490.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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